

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463.

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Response Due Date: November 29, 2004

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Reference:

Amended October Quarterly Report (8/26/04 - 9/30/04), received

10/21/04

Dear Mr. Murphy:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above. An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Schedule A of your report discloses one or more contributions that appear to be from a corporation(s) and/or labor organization(s) (see attached). 2 U.S.C. §441b(a) prohibits the receipt of contributions from corporations and labor organizations unless made from separate segregated funds established by the corporations and labor organizations.

If any apparently prohibited contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you must smend your original report with clarifying information.

If you have received prohibited contributions, you must make a refund. (11 CFR §103.3(b)(1)) The refund must be made within thirty (30) days of the treasurer becoming aware of the illegality of the contribution. (11 CFR §103.3(b)(2))

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately and provide a photocopy of any refund checks. Refunds must be reported on a Schedule B supporting Line 20(a) of the report covering the period in which the refund was made. (11 CFR §104.8(d)(4))